

RESOLUTION NO. 08-95

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA NAMING THE SCHOOL FACILITY LOCATED AT 2590 WEST 76 STREET, HIALEAH, FLORIDA, THE SITE OF THE NEW HIALEAH EDUCATIONAL ACADEMY, AS THE "JEB BUSH EDUCATION CENTER" IN COMMEMORATION OF HIS 8 YEARS OF DISTINGUISHED AND EXEMPLARY PUBLIC SERVICE AS GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS VISION AND LEADERSHIP IN ADVANCING EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR FLORIDA STUDENTS.

WHEREAS, through State funding and support and by grant of a charter from The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, the City of Hialeah is inaugurating a new Charter Senior High School located at Slade Park; and

WHEREAS, the Charter Senior High School, the Hialeah Educational Academy is a publicly funded charter school that provides a public safety career track for its students with a special emphasis on law enforcement, firefighting and dispatch communications careers; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hialeah, its elected officials and residents recognize the firm and unwavering leadership of former Governor Jeb Bush, who has promoted and advanced the cause of education through education reforms and accountability, including statewide comprehensive testing, school choice, and state-of-the-art technology; and

WHEREAS, Jeb Bush co-founded the first charter school in Florida, the Liberty City Charter School, a K-6 elementary school that continues to operate as a charter school; and

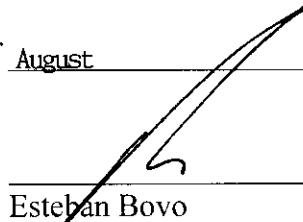
WHEREAS, Jeb Bush serves as Chairman of the Foundation For Excellence in Education which, in cooperation with the James Madison Institute, recently organized a summit that examined the need to reduce achievement gaps, improve opportunities for all children, and highlighted promising reform strategies; and

WHEREAS, the Historic Preservation Board recommended approval of the designation of the Hialeah Educational Academy building as the Jeb Bush Education Center on August 12, 2008.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, THAT:

Section 1: The school facility located at Slade Park, the site of the new Hialeah Educational Academy, is hereby designated as the Jeb Bush Education Center, and shall be known as such from this day forward.


PASSED AND ADOPTED this 12th day of August, 2008.



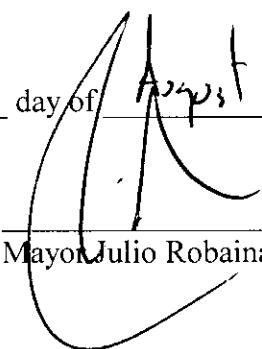
Esteban Bovo
Council President

Attest:

Approved on this 13 day of August, 2008.

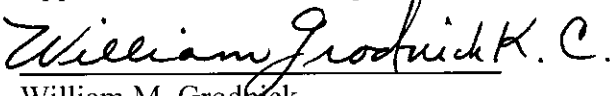


Rafael E. Granado
City Clerk



Mayor Julio Robaina

Approved for form and legal sufficiency:



William M. Grodnick
City Attorney

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Resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote with Councilmembers Bovo, Caragol, Casals-Muñoz, Garcia-Martinez, Gonzalez, Hernandez, and Yedra voting "Yes".